GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Health Medical and Family Welfare Department – Andhra Pradesh Medical Education Services – Amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Medical Education Service Rules – Notification – Orders - Issued.

HEALTH MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (A1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.136 **Dated:23.08.2023.**

Read the following: -

1) G.O.Ms.No.154, H.M. & F.W. (A2) Dept., dated 04.05.2002.
2) G.O.Ms.No.748, H.M. & F.W. (A2) Dept., dated 30.08.2006.
3) G.O.Ms.No.330, H.M. & F.W. (A2) Dept., dated 10.09.2008.
4) G.O.Ms.No.32, H.M. & F.W. (A2) Dept., dated 02.02.2010.
5) G.O.Ms.No.86, H.M. & F.W. (A) Dept., dated 31.05.2017.
6) G.O.Ms.No.24, H.M. & F.W. (A1) Dept., Dated.13-02-2019.
7) From the Director of Medical Education, A.P., Vijayawada, E file No.2101471.
8) From the Secretary, APPSC, Vijayawada, Lr.No.202/R&R/2023, Dated.22.08.2023.

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ORDER:-

In the G.Os 2nd to 5th read above, certain amendments were issued to the Andhra Pradesh Medical Education Service Rules issued in the G.O. 1st read above.

2. In the G.O.6th read above, orders were issued amending the method of appointment to the posts of Director of Medical Education/Director of Medical Education (Academic) and Additional Director of Medical Education including Principal of Medical College and Superintendent of Teaching Hospitals.

3. In the reference 7th read above, the Director of Medical Education, Andhra Pradesh has furnished proposal that presently sixteen (16) (11 existing + 5 new) Government Medical Colleges/ Teaching General Hospitals are functioning under the administrative control of Directorate of Medical Education. Each Government General Hospital is a 1000-1400 bedded teaching hospital with more than fourteen (14) clinical departments, seven (7) non clinical departments providing clinical and non-clinical services to the citizens on 24X7 basis. Government General Hospital provides tertiary care services at an average daily OP of 1500 and IP of 1200, around 30 major surgeries, 100 minor surgeries, and 30-40 deliveries conducts every day in each of the Government General Hospitals. In every Govt. General Hospital 300-400 Doctors and 1500-2000 other staff provides the services to the patients round the clock. Apart from clinical and non-clinical services, each Government General Hospital, provides medical advice / medical certificates @ 150 to 200 citizens per day. Medical Superintendent of Government General Hospital is a Chief Executive Officer to the Hospital and have to manage services on 24X7 basis with regard to all 1500 outpatients and 1200 inpatients. This requires coordination between internal departments like Security and Sanitation, Laboratory services, Pharmacy, Bio medical equipment division, Line and Laundry and engineering division and external departments like Municipal Administration, Revenue, Energy departments. Medical Superintendent, apart from ensuring to provide clinical services to the patients, shall manage procurement and logistic services of drugs and medicines, surgical items, Medical Oxygen's worth of Rs.50 Cr per annum. Medical Superintendent of the Government General Hospital shall also maintain liaison with all the people's representatives, district officials and shall be available on 24X7 basis. Responsibilities and complexities of duties attached to the post of Medical Superintendent demands the persons who are physically fit along with the considerable left-over service. Presently,

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Medical Superintendents of Government General Hospitals are being filled with the Additional Director of Medical Education. In order to place the competent and enthusiastic officers as Medical Superintendents in the interests of administration, the Director of Medical Education has proposed certain amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Medical Education Service Rules, since finding the suitable candidates for the post of Superintendents is becoming a big problem and most of the Professors promoted as Additional Directors of Medical Education are reluctant to take position of Superintendents which is ultimately affecting the quality of services in the Government General Hospitals.

4. Government after careful examination of the matter, have accepted the proposal of the Directors of Medical Education and decided to amend the Andhra Pradesh Medical Education Service Rules issued in G.O.Ms.No.154, H.M.&F.W.(A2) Department dated:04.05.2002 as subsequently amended from time to time to improve the quality of services to the common people and in the interest of the administration.

5. Accordingly, the following Notification shall be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette:

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and all of other powers hereunto enabling, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendments to the Special Rules for the Andhra Pradesh Medical Education Service Rules issued in G.O.Ms.No.154, HM&FW(A2) Department, dated 04-05-2002 as subsequently amended from time to time:

AMENDMENTS

In the said rules, -

1. In Rule 2 for Category (2) the following shall be substituted namely, -

"Category 2 (a): Additional Director of Medical Education.

(b): Principals of Government Medical Colleges.

(c): Superintendents of Government General Hospitals."

(2) In Annexure-I prescribed under Rule 3, in the TABLE there under,

(i) For Sl.No.2 and the corresponding entries relating thereto in Column (1) and Column (2), the following shall be substituted, namely, -

Category and post (1)	Method of appointment (2)
2(a): Additional Director of Medical Education	By promotion of Professors (Clinical, Non-Clinical and Super Specialties) based on combined seniority list prepared on the basis of their seniority in the category of Assistant Professor. Provided one must possess basic MBBS Degree with PG qualification in the concerned speciality with a minimum of ten (10) years of teaching experience, out of which at least five (5) years as Professor.
2(b): Principal of Government Medical Colleges	Filled with the category 2(a) i.e., Additional Director of Medical Education.
2(c): Superintendent of Government General Hospitals	Filled with the category 2(a) i.e., Additional Director of Medical Education **or** By transfer from Professors (Clinical, Non-Clinical and Super Specialities) who have completed ten (10) years of teaching experience out of which five (5) years in the cadre of Professor.

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(ii) In Annexure-I prescribed under Rule 3, after Note 3, the following shall be added namely, -

"(a) Professor who is promoted as Additional Director of Medical Education and not posted as Medical Superintendent of Government General Hospital, shall be continued as Professor in the cadre of Additional Director of Medical Education at where he is working. However, the total number of Additional Directors Working (as principal or superintendent or professor in the cadre of ADME) shall not exceed the sanctioned cadre strength of Additional Director of Medical Education.

(b) The Additional Director of Medical Education or Professor who is posted as Superintendent of Government General Hospital, shall draw their own scale of pay."

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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